

cluding recommendations of implementing activities, where appropriate, that would contribute to the restoration or improvement of one or more fish stocks of the Great Lakes Basin; and

(2) activities undertaken to accomplish the goals stated in section 941d of this title.

(Pub. L. 101-537, title I, §1008, Nov. 8, 1990, 104 Stat. 2374; Pub. L. 101-646, title II, §2008, Nov. 29, 1990, 104 Stat. 4777.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

The date of the enactment of this Act, referred to in text, is the date of enactment of Pub. L. 101-537, which was approved Nov. 8, 1990, and Pub. L. 101-646, which was approved Nov. 29, 1990.

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 101-537 and Pub. L. 101-646 enacted substantially identical sections.

#### ABOLITION OF HOUSE COMMITTEE ON MERCHANT MARINE AND FISHERIES

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries of House of Representatives abolished and its jurisdiction given primarily to Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure of House of Representatives, and remainder of jurisdiction given to Committees on National Security and on Resources of House of Representatives, by House Resolution No. 6, One Hundred Fourth Congress, Jan. 4, 1995.

### § 941g. Authorization of appropriations

(a) There are authorized to be appropriated to the Director—

(1) for conducting a study under section 941c of this title not more than \$4,000,000 for each of fiscal years 1991 through 1994;

(2) to establish and operate the Great Lakes Coordination Office under section 941f(a)<sup>1</sup> of this title and Upper Great Lakes Fishery Resources Offices under section 941f(c)<sup>1</sup> of this title, not more than \$4,000,000 for each of fiscal years 1991 through 1995; and

(3) to establish and operate the Lower Great Lakes Fishery Resources Offices<sup>2</sup> under section 941f(b)<sup>1</sup> of this title, not more than \$2,000,000 for each of fiscal years 1991 through 1995.

(b) There are authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary to carry out this chapter, not more than \$1,500,000 for each of fiscal years 1991 through 1995.

(Pub. L. 101-537, title I, §1009, Nov. 8, 1990, 104 Stat. 2374; Pub. L. 101-646, title II, §2009, Nov. 29, 1990, 104 Stat. 4778.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to in subsec. (b), was in the original “this Act”, which, to reflect the probable intent of Congress, was translated as reading “this title” meaning title II of Pub. L. 101-646, Nov. 29, 1990, 104 Stat. 4773, known as the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990, which is classified generally to this chapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 941 of this title and Tables.

<sup>1</sup> So in original. Probably should be “941e(a)”, “941e(c)”, and “941e(b)”, respectively.

<sup>2</sup> So in original. Probably should be “Office”.

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 101-537 and Pub. L. 101-646 enacted substantially identical provisions of subsec. (a), but Pub. L. 101-537 did not enact a subsec. (b).

### CHAPTER 15C—GREAT LAKES FISH AND WILDLIFE TISSUE BANK

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### § 943. Tissue bank

#### (a) In general

The Secretary shall coordinate existing facilities for the storage, preparation, examination, and archiving of tissues from selected Great Lakes fish and wildlife, which shall be known as the “Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Tissue Bank”.

#### (b) Guidance

The Secretary shall, in consultation with appropriate Federal and State agencies and the Council of Great Lakes Research Managers, issue guidance, after an opportunity for public review and comment, for Great Lakes fish and wildlife tissue collection, preparation, archiving, quality control procedures, and access that will ensure—

(1) appropriate uniform methods and standards for those activities to provide confidence in Great Lakes fish and wildlife tissue samples used for research;

(2) documentation of procedures used for collecting, preparing, and archiving those samples; and

(3) appropriate scientific use of the tissues in the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Tissue Bank.

(Pub. L. 102-440, title II, §202, Oct. 23, 1992, 106 Stat. 2233.)

#### SHORT TITLE

Section 201 of title II of Pub. L. 102-440 provided that: “This title [enacting this chapter] may be cited as ‘The Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Tissue Bank Act’.”

### § 943a. Data base

#### (a) Maintenance

The Secretary shall maintain a central data base which provides an effective means for tracking and assessing relevant reference data on Great Lakes fish and wildlife, including data on tissues collected for and maintained in the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Tissue Bank.

#### (b) Access

The Secretary shall establish criteria, after an opportunity for public review and comment, for access to the data base which provides for appropriate use of the information by the public.

(Pub. L. 102-440, title II, §203, Oct. 23, 1992, 106 Stat. 2233.)

### § 943b. Definitions

In this chapter—